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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: DISABLING HEADER COMPRESSION OVER POINT-TO-POINT  
PROTOCOL (PPP)

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and  
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1. Application - 13 pages, including 5 independent claims and 15 claims  
total.
2. Drawings - 4 sheets of drawings containing 4 figures.
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Basic Application Filing Fee					\$710	\$ 710.00
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Total Claims	15	-	20	0	x \$18	
Independent Claims	5	-	3	2	x \$80	\$160.00
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